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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
MAN S CO ET AL : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION
SERIAL NO: 09/763,129 :
FILED: MAY 16, 2001 :
FOR: ANTITHROMBOTIC AGENT AND HUMANIZED ANTI-VON
WILLEBRAND FACTOR MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND STATEMENT

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

In response to the Office Communication mailed May 29, 2001, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as shown in the marked-up copy to read as follows:

Page 24, (Abstract), after the last line, beginning on a new page, please insert the
attached sequence listing.